GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3020
ANSWERED ON:09.12.2002
SUPPLY OF FOODGRAINS TO MEET FODDER REQUIREMENT
R.L. JALAPPA

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have taken a decision to supply the foodgrains which are unfit for human consumption for fodder free of cost for meeting the requirement of the States; and

(b) if so, the quantity of such foodgrains supplied to the States particularly Karnataka, State-wise ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a): Yes, Sir. The Government has decided to supply feed category damaged food grains available with FCI to the drought hit States for cattle feed free of cost.

(b): The Government of Rajasthan has so far been allocated a quantity of 30,000 MT of feed category foodgrains. No request from the Government of Karnataka for feed category of damaged food grains has been received.